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Conveyance to the Nilgherry Hills.—The steamers are timed to reach Beypore at daybreak, and arrangements have been made for a train to leave Beypore specially in connection with the steamers' arrival to convey passengers right through to Metteypolium, where they will arrive at 7-45 p.m. Passengers staying for the night can proceed up the Ghat early the following morning.

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FOR CUTCH MANDAVIE AND KURRACHEE.

S. S. AKOLA, 578 Tons, on MONDAY, 22nd September, 1879, at 2 p.m.

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S. S. ABYSSINIA, 1,129 Tons, on FRIDAY, 19th September 1879, connecting at Aden with S. S. CANARA, 1,903 Tons.

Saloon passage	Rs. 500
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Bombay, 9th September 1879.

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Suez	360	230	80
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Messina	500	340	140
Naples	540	360	140
Leghorn	560	340	140
Genoa	560	340	140
Marseilles	570	350	140

Including Wines. Without Wines.

Children under 8 years, free of charge; Children above 8 and under 10 years, half fare.

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NEXT STEAMERS FROM BOMBAY:—

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All Steamers of this Company have large First and Second class accommodation; and always carry a Doctor and a Stewardess on board.

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Agent Rubattino Steam Navigation Company,
No. 2, Hummum Street.

Bombay, April, 1879.

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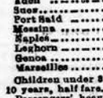

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Bombay, 3rd September 1879.

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THE following or other Steamers will be despatched for EUROPE:—

Vessels.	Tons.	H.P.	Captains.	1879
(s) PEKIN	3777	600	W. Woolcott	19th Sept.
— SUMATRA	2498	450	R. F. Briscoe	29th do.
(s) NIZAM	2725	450	A. E. Barlow	6th Oct.
— THAVANCORE	1903	350	W. Barratt	13th do.
(s) LOMBARDY	2723	450	W. B. Hall	20th do.

Passengers are booked to ADEN, SUEZ, BRINDISI, ANCONA, VENICE, MARSEILLES, MALTA, GIBRALTAR and SOUTHAMPTON by every Mail. The Steamers marked (s) proceed direct to Southampton. By the others Passengers change vessels at Suez, and those for Brindisi, Ancona, Venice, and Marseilles are conveyed by Rail from Suez to Alexandria.

A Launch leaves the Company's Dock Head, Mazagon, at 3 p.m. on the day of sailing.

For Passage, &c., apply to

ADAM TAIT,
Bombay, 27th August 1879. Acting Superintendent.

STEAM TO CEYLON, PENANG, STRAITS, CHINA, AND JAPAN.

THE following Steamers will be despatched for the above ports, carrying H. M.'s Mails, and taking also Passengers and Cargo for Madras and Calcutta:—

Vessels.	Tons.	H.P.	Captains.	
ANCONA	3205	600	E. G. Stead	15th Sept.
KASHGAR	2621	450	H. J. Baker	30th do.

A Launch leaves the Company's Dock Head, Mazagon, at p.m. on the day of sailing.

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THE following Steamers will be despatched for the above ports:—

Vessels.	Tons.	H.P.	Captains.	
ASSAM	3833	540	N. Stewart	10th Oct.
TANJORE	2263	450	W. W. Fentiman	7th Nov.
SIAM	3014	500	G. N. Hector	5th Dec.

A Launch leaves the Company's Dock Head, Mazagon, at 3 p.m. on the day of sailing.

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Bombay, 27th August 1879. Acting Superintendent.

NOTICES.

THE NEXT of KIN of Dr. JOHN EASTON and Mrs. E. E. A. EASTON (*née* BLAND) will REWARD and feel obliged for INFORMATION enabling them to TRACE and RECOVER certain MONIES PAID or contracted to be paid, under Contract of marriage, dated 15th July, 1813, to Lieut. Colonel Humphrey Dalrymple Bland, 42th Regiment, and Major General Thomas Joseph Backhouse, then of Bombay, as Trustees. Please communicate with SIR CHARLES FORBES & Co., Bombay.

BOMBAY SEWERAGE WORKS.

THE MUNICIPAL COMMISSIONER for the CITY of BOMBAY is prepared to receive SEALED TENDERS for certain works and supplies in connection with the Sewerage Works, viz.:—

1st, For labour and supply of certain materials in connection with the Outfall sewer.
2nd, For labour and supply of certain materials in connection with the completion of the Main Sewer.
3rd, For labour and supply of certain materials in connection with the system of Pipe Sewers.
4th, For supply of Cast Iron Work in Manholes, &c.
5th, For supply of Timber as required.
6th, For supply of Lime as required.
7th, For supply of Sand and Shingle as required.
8th, For supply of Broken Stone and Rubble as required.

Forms of Tender and full particulars may be obtained at the office of the undersigned on payment of the usual fee.

Each Tender is to be endorsed "Tender—Sewerage Works," addressed to JOHN HAY GRANT, Esquire, C.S., Municipal Commissioner, Bombay, and delivered at his office before 5 p.m. on the 19th instant.

No Tender will be entertained which is not made on the Form provided.

The Municipal Commissioner does not bind himself to accept the lowest or any Tender.

By Order of the Municipal Commissioner,

RIENZI WALTON, C.E.,
Executive Engineer, Municipality, on Special Duty.
Bombay Municipal Offices, 9th September 1879.

NOTICE.

THE DEWAN of TRAVANCORE will SELL by PUBLIC AUCTION the contract for the supply of 3,00,000 Indian Maunds of BOMBAY SALT required for the use of the Travancore Government.

2. The sale will take place at the Huzoor Cutcherry at noon on the 15th October, 1879, when intending bidders should be present either in person or by duly authorized agents.

3. Each bidder will be required to make a deposit of Rs. 500 before the commencement of the sale, and none but those who have made this deposit will be permitted to compete.

4. In the case of unsuccessful bidders, the deposits will be returned immediately after the sale is over. In the case of successful parties they will be retained as security against defaults until the required security is furnished and the agreement entered into before the Commercial Agent.

5. In addition to the forfeiture of the deposit, parties who fail to execute the agreement will be held liable for losses the Government may sustain in consequence of their default and shall not be entitled to any profits that may accrue from the resale of the contract.

6. The contract will be put up in 10 lots of 30,0 0 Maunds each. But if the parties present at the sale so wish it, the Government will have no objection to put up the whole quantity for one or both of the Forts specified below as one or two whole lots.

7. The Salt will have to be delivered into the Backshalls or Godowns as noted in the margin, and 2,40,000 at Alleppey. Godowns will have to be borne by the Contractor. all charges until the Salt reaches the 60,000 at Monumbom.

8. The delivery shall commence immediately after the contract and shall be completed before the end of April, 1880.

9. The Salt will have to be removed in bags from the Bombay Works and brought and landed also in bags. These bags will be returned to the owners after the salt has been stored.

10. The salt will be received by weight at Alleppey by passing the bags in trucks over the weigh bridge and counting 82½ English lbs. to one Indian Maund, and at Monumbom by passing them over the weighing Machines graduated in Maunds and Seers.

11. The public are hereby informed that the Government of Bombay will not require prepayment of the salt duty (except 3 pies per maund which will not be refunded) and the following will also not be obtained and they must be strictly complied with:—

(a) On entering into contracts, the contractors will be furnished with certificates under the seal and signature of the Commercial Agent specifying the quantities of Salt they are authorized to procure for the use of the Government.

(b) Duplicates of these certificates will be forwarded by the Commercial Agent to the Bombay Salt authorities.

(c) On production of the Original Certificates the Bombay Government will permit the Contractor to export free of duty, on the payment of 3 pies per Maund, as much Salt as he is authorized to procure. The quantity shipped in each vessel will be marked on the face of the certificate in the possession of the Contractor and of the duplicate, and will also be communicated to the Commercial Agent.

(d) Immediately after the Salt is delivered the Commercial Agent will ascertain if the whole quantity shipped has been landed. If not he will levy upon the deficient quantity the full Export duty of Rs. 2 Annas 8 per Maund. Thus no allowance for wastage will be made.

(e) After each shipment has been received, the Commercial Agent will grant a certificate showing whether the whole quantity shipped has been received or not, and in the latter case that full duty at Rs. 2 Annas 8 per Maund has been recovered from the shipper upon the deficient quantity.

(f) This certificate must be produced before the Bombay authorities within two months at the latest from the date of shipment.

(g) Satisfactory security either in Government paper or cash to the extent of Rs. 15 per 100 Maunds will have to be furnished before the contract is entered into, to enable the Commercial Agent to recover the duty on deficiencies and for the general fulfilment of the contract.

12. The contract price will be paid as each shipment is delivered.

13. Approved samples of Bombay Salt will be exhibited at the time of sale and only such salt must be supplied and all Salt of inferior quality will be rejected.

14. The Government reserves to itself the right of rejecting all or any of the bids without assigning a reason.

15. Any further information can be had on application to the undersigned.

J. ROHDE,
Acting Commercial Agent.

Commercial Office, Alleppey, 20th August 1879.

SPECIAL SHORT ADVERTISEMENTS.

These are for those Advertisements as follows:—Not exceeding 3 lines, Rs. 1; each succeeding line 8 As. No trade advertisements are admitted under this scale.

FOR SALE, LEBRUN'S Pure Pale OLD BRANDY, well worth a trial, at Rs. 19 per doz. Cash. Apply to D. P. BATHA & Co., Sole Agents, Apollo Street, Bombay.

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REQUIRED BOARDERS, GRANT ROAD BAR, ten minutes' walk from J. J. Hospital, Airy Rooms, Rs. 45 per month, or Rs. 2 per day. Apply PARUCK, Proprietor.

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FOR SALE, Steward's National Association Telescope, very powerful, Rs. 120. Apply "W.," *Bombay Gazette*.

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IMMENSE ATTRACTION FOR THIS NIGHT ONLY

First time in Bombay of the glorious Burlesque,
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NEW SONGS.
LOCAL HITS.
NEW DANCES.
Production of Alfred Maltby's great Comedy in one act, entitled
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In which Harry Hunter's celebrated Duet, entitled
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PRICES OF ADMISSION.

Dress Circle.....Rs. 2 | Gallery.....Rs. 1
Stalls.....„ 2 | Pit.....As. 8
Reserved Seats may be secured at Messrs. SOUNDY and Co.
Box plan now open.

GUINNESS'S STOUT.

BULL DOG BOTTLING, to clear balance of a Shipment.

Casks of 3 doz. qts. Rs. 5.0 per doz. Cash.
„ 6 „ pts. Rs. 3·8 „

CUTLER PALMER & CO.

NOTICE.—The undermentioned BANKS will be CLOSED on WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY, FRIDAY, and SATURDAY, the 17th, 18th, 19th and 20th instant, on account of the PATETI and PARSEE NEW YEAR HOLIDAYS:—

For the Oriental Bank Corporation,
R. D. CAIRNS, Pro Agent.
For the Chartered Mercantile Bank of India, London, & China,
H. W. JONES, Agent.
For the Chartered Bank of India, Australia, and China,
C. J. SHARP, Agent.
For the Comptoir D'Escompte de Paris,
FRANCIS YOUILLON, Manager.
For the National Bank of India (Limited),
W. A. BAKER, Manager.
For the Agra Bank (Limited),
W. BLACKHALL, Manager.
For the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation,
G. E. NOBLE, Agent.

Bombay, 3rd September 1879.

THE SCINDE AND PUNJAUB COTTON PRESS COMPANY, LIMITED.

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NOTICE is hereby given, that the EIGHTH ANNUAL ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the SHAREHOLDERS of the above Company will be held at its Registered Office, No. 3, Church Lane, Fort, on SATURDAY, the 27th September, 1879, at 3 p.m., to transact the following business, viz:—

1st. To receive and adopt the Report and audited Balance Sheet for the year ending 31st August, 1879, and to declare a Dividend.

2nd. To appoint Directors in the room of one retiring from office, but who is eligible for re-election.

3rd. To appoint an Auditor for the year 1879-80, and to fix his remuneration.

By Order of the Directors,

કા૦ મુલજી જેઠાની કું૦
i. e., MOOLJEE JAITHA & Co.,
Secretaries and Treasurers.

Bombay, 12th September 1879.

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	Rs.	a.
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Prinsep's Imperial India (*2nd edition, revised*)	13	4
Cavanagh's Law of Money Securities	13	4
Robinson's Parks and Gardens of Paris (*2nd edition, illustrated*)	11	4
Maudsley's Pathology of Mind	11	4
Buckley on the Companies Act (*3rd edition*)	20	0
Shakespeare Key, by C. and M. Cowden Clarke (*A Companion to the Concordance*)	13	4
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The Prodigal Daughter, by Mark Hope	3	12
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The Comedie Humaine and its Author, *with Translations from the French of Balzac*; by Walker	3	12
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Original Plays, by W. S. Gilbert	1	8
Puck on Pegasus, by H. Cholmondeley Pennell	1	8
Muses of Mayfair by do. do.	1	8
Old Stories Retold, by W. Thornbury	1	8
Cheap Series of Standard Authors. *Each*	0	10
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Rival Houses, by James. / Harry Lorrequer, by Jack Brag, by T. Hock. / C. Lever.		
Doublets, A Word Puzzle, by Lewis Carroll	1	4
Globe Encyclopædia (The) of Useful Information, edited by John M. Ross, LL.D., 6 vols	47	0
Routledge's Every Boy's Annual, 1880, (*Fully Illustrated*)	3	12
Model Locomotive Engineer, Fireman, and Engine-Boy, by M. Reynolds, author of "Locomotive-Engine Driving"	3	0
Darwinism and other Essays, by John Fiske, M.A., &c.	4	12
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Burke's Landed Gentry, 2 vols., 6th Edition, 1879	40	0
Smith's Leading Cases, 2 vols., 8th Edition, 1879	47	0
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Wilson's Naval Hygiene (*new edition*)	6	12
Green's History of the English People, Vol. 3 (Puritan England and the Restoration)	10	0
Dictionary of Music and Musicians (1450-1880); edited by G. Grove, vol. 1	13	4
Knight's Dictionary of Mechanics, 3 vols. (*cheaper edition*)	40	0
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C. Lazarus and Co. always keep on hand a large stock of their new and improved COMBINATION EXPRESS Billiard Cushions which can be fitted to any table, the exact length and breadth of the slate-bed being the only information required.

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COMMERCIAL INTELLIGENCE.

FRIDAY EVENING, 12TH SEPT. 1879

Consols in London yesterday were still quoted at 97⅛, French Rentes at 117⅛, and Enfaced rupee paper at 77½ for Fours and 83¼ for Fours-and-a-half.

The Bank of England return for the week is slightly more favourable, the proportion of the Reserve to Liabilities having advanced from 58 3-16 to 58½ per cent. The Reserve shows an increase of £700,000, and Bullion of £100,000, while Discounts are smaller by £360,000. Since the return a further payment of £225,000 has gone into the Bank so that the reaction in favour of easier money is becoming more decided.

Oriental Bank shares are quoted at £18, a decline of 10s., Chartered Mercantile at £20, an advance of 10s. per share.

Bar Silver, according to Reuter, remains unchanged at 51⅛d. per oz., and shipments to the extent of £60,000 are advised by yesterday's P and O steamer from Southampton, making a total of £360,000 now afloat for this port.

In the London General Produce markets, Coffee is reported firm with an advance of 6d. per cwt. in Mid. plantation Ceylon. Cocoanut Oil unchanged. Linseed steady, Rapeseed quiet at previous prices.

Piece Goods in Manchester continue firm, but Cotton in Liverpool closed dull, although Surats were in fair demand. The day's sales were estimated at 6,000 bales, of which 700 were Surats, and spot quotations show a decline of 1-16d. in Mid. Orleans and G. F. Compta, and ⅛d. per lb. in Fair Compta.

From New York ready Mid. Uplands are still quoted at 12¼ cents, but December shipment has advanced from 10·39 to 10·42 cents per lb. The receipts at the U. S. ports to date show the following comparisons:—

	1879.	1878.	1877.
Thursday's Receipts. ...	5,000	8,000	1,700
Six days' do. ...	28,000	38,700	10,600
Total since 1st Sept. ...	33,000	64,200	16,300

Exchange to-day has been very quiet with only a limited business doing. In the morning, rates opened with a decline of 1-32d. in Bank paper, and during the day a further reduction of 1-32d. was established, although no change has taken place in rates for private paper. The Banks, however, are willing buyers than sellers and at the moment the tendency, if anything, is easier. We quote:—

Bank Bills, on demand	1s. 7⅞d.	per Rs.
Do. 3 months' sight	1s. 8d.	,,
Credits, 3 ,, ,,	1s. 8⅛d.	,,
Documents, 3 ,, ,,	1s. 8 3-16d.	,,
France 3 ,, ,,	2·12½	,,

On Calcutta the rate for damand drafts has receded to 1-16 per cent. premium, while 60 days' sight remains at 9-16 per cent. discount.

Government Paper is quiet and, if anything, a shade weaker. We quote:—Fours, Rs. 93⅝ to ⅞; Fours-and-a-half, Rs. 100⅞ to ⅝.

Shares are quiet but steady, and for Spinning and Weaving Companies firms. We note an advance of Rs. 5 in Great Eastern, Rs. 10 in Khutao Mucconjee and Manockjee Petit, Rs. 20 in Coorla and Morarjee Goculdas. Bank of Bombay shares are steady at Rs. 660, and Land and Press Companies are all unchanged.

Cotton to-day has been rather quieter. For export there has been no enquiry, but the local Spinning and Weaving Mills continue buyers, and stocks being very limited prices are maintained. We quote:—

Good Omra	Rs. 229 per candy	f. p.
F. G. F. do	,, 223	,,
G. F. do	,, 218	,,
Good Dholleras (nominal)	,, 228	,,
F. G. F. do	,, 217	,,
G. F. do	,, 213	,,

Seeds are unchanged with next to nothing doing. Linseed we quote at Rs. 7-3, Gujarat Rapeseed at Rs. 6-12 per cwt.

Freights show no appreciable change. The s. s. Wistow Hall leaves for Kurrachee tomorrow returning to load for Liverpool in about 10 days, but in the meantime there will be no steamer on the berth. For Trieste and Venice the s. s. Vorwarts has filled up at 15s. and sails to morrow, and for the next steamer shortly due 20s. per ton payable here is quoted. For other ports there is no change.

Piece Goods are steady but not active. On the spot a moderate business is passing at previous prices, but to arrive the backward tendency of exchange restricts buyers.

Local Yarns continue in active request at hardening rates. Last mail advices from China brought advice of large sales at higher prices, and the demand there is expected to continue as the China Cotton Crop is reported badly damaged.

Coals are still in better demand, but in the absence of sellers to arrive no fresh business has taken place.

BOMBAY BILL AND STOCK LIST.

BANKS.

Bank.	No. of Shares.	Nomi. Value p. sh.	Paid up.	Last Divi-dend.	Cash Rates per Share.
		Rs.	Rs.	p. a.	
Agra Bank	100,000	100	all	5 p. ct	125
Bank of Bengal	40,000	500	all	4 do	730
Bank of Bombay	60,000	500	all	5 do	660
Bank of Madras	60,000	500	all	3 do	650
National Bank of India.	37,500	£25,£12-10		6 do	110

LAND COMPANIES.

Colaba Land Co. (New.)	4,000	1,000	all	15 ps*	830
Frore Land and Pier Co. Limited	7,500	150	all	4 p. s	117
Managon Land	1,750	2 000	1,000	30 p. s	350
Fort Canning Land Company, Limited ...	3,000	1,400	all	15 p. s	212½

PRESS COMPANIES.

Akbar Cotton Press Co..	180	5,000	28,500	150 p.s.	650
Albert Co., Kurrachee.	200	5,000	1,100	125 do	989
Albert Ginning Co. ...	100	500	all	18 p.ct	500
Apollo Press Co.	750	2,750	2,200	32 p.s.	600
Bellary	175	1,000	all	25	570
Berar Company (New)..	155	600	all	60 p.s.	465
Indian Press Co.	1,000	350	all	14 do	50
Ispook Cotton Co	400	250	all	10 do	30
Larwar Co	1,000	1,500	all	75 do	50
Colaba Press Co	500	1,850	all	30 do	350
Chollera P. and C. Co..	400	300	all	18 do	125
East India Press Co..	353	1,000	all	100 do	975
Fort Press Co	50	8,500	1,250	30 do	1,000
Fremch Press Co....	800	500	all	60 p.s.	415
Gokussil Press and Ginning Co	1,125	400	all	30 do	205
Prince of W. Press	120		1,500	250 do	165
Ramoon's Press Co....	600	500	all	25 do	225
Sind Press Co.....	400	850	750	60 do	465
Sind & Punjaub Commission Press Co., Ld....	100	1,000	925	125 do	1,225
Victoria Cotton Gin and Press Co	150	850	all	12 p.ct	500
Volkart's United Press Co.....	450	1,000	1,000	25 p.s	545

* For Share for the half-year.

SPINNING AND WEAVING COMPANIES.

Alfred Manufacturing Co.	1,000	500	all		350
Alliance Spinning	500	2,500	all	30 p.	1,250
Anglo-Indian S. and W. Company	30,000	10	10	Nil	58
Bowmangram M. and P. Company	800	2,000	2,000	do	200
Bombay United	800	1,000	all	do	740
Coorla S. and W. Co. ..	1,00	1,000	all	do	530
Central India S. and W. Company	2,500	500	all	do	550
Dharumsey Spinning	8,000	2,000	all	do	225
Empress S. and W. Co...	700	500	all	do	360
Great Eastern.....	1,400	500	all	do	525
Hindostan S. & W. Co...	870	1,000	all	do	840
Hydrabad S. and W. Co	700	1,000	2 000	do	475
Jawraj Balloo Mills	700	1,000	all	do	620
Khandeish Spinning	750	1,000	all	Rs. 30	830
K. Mucconjee S. & W. Co	1,00	1,000	all	do	480
Madras Spinning	800	1,000	all	do	575
Madras U. Spinning	42	1,000	all	50 p.s*	1,125xd
Manchester & Bombay S. and W. Co.	30,000	50	50	Nil	7
Manockjee Petit's	2,500	1,000	all	30 p.s*	1,085
Morarjee Spinning	1,04	1,000	all	Nil	910
Muragon S. and W. Co..	2,000	5,000	..	do	120
National S. and W. Co. of India.....	950	1,000	all	do	625
Oriental	4,000	822	all	do	575
Princes of Wales Spinning	600	1,25	all	do	74
Sassoon S. & W. Co.....	1,500	1,000	all	do	450
Soonderdas Spinning ...	600	1,000	all	do	510
Do do. 4 Share.	500	1,000	250	do	120
Sholapore S. and W. Co.	500	1,000	all	do	740
Victoria Mills	550	1,000	all	do	475

* For Share for the half-year.

SPINNING AND WEAVING COMPANIES IN LIQUIDATION.

Albert Mills	400	2,000	1,70	Nil	nominal
Alexandra S. and W. Co.	2,250	425	all	do	
Bombay Hemp and Jute Mill Company.....	2,000	300	all	do	
Broach Mills	..	..	..	do	
Colaba S. and W. Co. ..	900	1,000	all	do	
Fleming S. and W. Co...	3,750	500	all	do	
Maudvie S. and W. Co...	1,200	500	all	do	
Nariad S. and W. Co...	..	..	..	..	
Nicol Press Manufacturing Co., Ld.....	600	2,000	all	do	
Nursey S. and W. Co....	2,500	400	all	do	

RAILWAY COMPANIES.

G. I. P. Railway Consolidated Stock.....	..	£20 21⅜ 3·0	5 p. ct		302
Do. New £20 Shares....	..	£20 13⅜ 14·6	do		26
Ditto	..	£20 6⅝ 7 3	do		72
Ditto	..	£20 3⅛ 1⅜	do		30
B. B. and C. I. Ry. Co.	..	£100	1,000	do	1,100
Do. New Shares. ..	..	£18 19⅝ 5·15	do		260

MISCELLANEOUS.

Bombay Burma Trading Corporation	1,000	2,500	1,500	225 p.s	1,890
Bombay Fire Insurance Co.	150	10,000	2,000	250p.s.	2,25xd.
Bombay Gas Company ..	50,000	50	all	7½ p. ct	58
Bombay Ice Manufacturing Co. Limited ..	1250	100	100	10 p. s.	105
Bombay Saw Mills Co..	800	1,000	all	...	485
Landing and Shipping Co. of Kurrachee, Ld..		500	300	36 p. s.	290
alabar Company, Ld..	1,000	200	100	7½ p. ct	12
Mechanical Buildings Co.	1,000	500	all	p. s.	16
Prince of Wales Insurance Company ...	250	8,000	1,000	85 p. s.	915x d.
Thacker and Co., Ld. ..	1,000	100	100	10 p.ct.	110
reacher and Co.	1,200	500	6 all	62½ p.s.	640
Vlegas Patent Ship Co..	1,000	250	all	p.ct.	15

GREAT INDIAN PENINSULA RAILWAY.

Statement of Traffic for the week ending 6th Sept. 1879.

	Open 1,288½ miles.	Rs.	a.	p.
Coaching		73,312	0	0
Merchandise		1,57,326	0	0
Telegraph		664	0	0
	Total Rs.....	2,31,361	0	0
Corresponding week last year, open 1,288½ miles.....	Total Rs.....	3,42,227	0	10
Decrease.....		1,10,866	0	10

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

The ship S. R. Mead, 1,116 tons, Captain C. Dixon, will sail to-day for Colcutta, with a general cargo.

The s. s. Burma, 199 tons, Nacoda, will sail today for Aden and Jeddah, with 150 deck passengers.

The ship Culzean, 1,572 tons, Captain J. Perrins, will sail today for Kurrachee, with 536 tons coals, original from Shields.

The B. I. S. N. Co's Ethiopia 1,314 tons, Captain H. B. Smith, arrived in harbour yesterday from Coast and Calcutta, with a general cargo, and the following passengers:—Mr. Jardine, Mrs. deBrito, Mr. Hatch, Mr Pilley, and 104 deck. The same Co.'s s. s. Patiala, 494 tons Captain W. Britten, arrived in harbour yesterday from Persian Gulf via Kurrachee, with a general cargo, and the following passengers:—Captain Hogg, Mr Alexander, one second class, and 42 deck. Also the same Co.'s s. s. Abyssinia, 717 tons, Captain R. D. Dougherty, arrived in harbour yesterday from Mozambique (9th Aust.), with a general cargo, and Major Windhow, and 18 deck passengers.

DEPARTURE OF THE AUSTRALIAN MAIL.

The P. and O. Co.'s s. s. Siam, 1,718 tons, Captain G. N. Hector, sailed yesterday for Australia with Australian Mail, general cargo, and the following passengers:—Mr. S. Alexander, Mr. George Cameron, Mr. D. Duggan, Mr. Haulsn, Mr. and Mrs. J. Malrine, and Colonel and Mas. Spilsburg.

ARRIVALS.

Sept.	Vessels.	Commanders	From.
12	Ethiopia (s)	Smith	Calcutta, Aug 18.
	Puttalla (s)	Britten	Bussorah, Aug 30.
	Abyssinia (s)	Dougherty ..	Mozambique, Aug 9.

DEPARTURES.

Sept.	Vessels.	Commanders.	Destination.
12	Vingoria (s)	Megins	K. Coast & Kurrachee.
	Venetia (s)	Orman	Venice.
	Siam (s)	Hector	Australia.

The following vessels obtained their port clearance yesterday:—Ship S R Mead, Dixon, to Calcutta.
Ship Culzean, Prins, to Kurrachee.
Steamer Bheema, Nacoda, to Aden and Jeddah.

The steamer Sumatra, to Aden and Suez, was entered for loading yesterday.

CALCUTTA.

ARRIVALS.

Sept.
8 Chinsura (s) ..... Gavin ..... Bombay, Aug 17.
Rajpootana (s) ..... Lowis ..... Singapore, Aug 15.
Bosheer (s) ..... James ..... Kyouk Phyoo, Sept 4.
Zolia ..... Peregrine ..... Marseilles, Mar 27.

DEPARTURES.

Sept. 8.—Ships Berengaria and Thessalus.

PASSENGERS.

Per Bosheer—Miss Paterson, Mr Kelson, Mr Beanes, and 2 children, Mrs Brownlow.
Per Chinsura—Mr Anderson and Mr Buchanin.
For Rajputana—Mr Richard, Mr Christie, Lieut Gossel, 9th Regiment, Miss Purchase, Mr Alston, Mr McMillan, Capt Cassel, Mr and Mrs Miller, 4 Misses Miller and 1 child.

MADRAS.

ARRIVALS.

Sept.
10 New Castle .... London.

DEPARTURES.

Sept.
9 Arabia (s) .... Negapatam.

DAILY IMPORTS.—September 12.

From Liverpool.

Wistow Hall s—15 bundles spring steel, Megjee Oomersey; 8 packages hardware, Rajbally Jewabhoy; 50 cases copper sheets, Ritchie, Steuart and Co; 250 bundles sheet iron, Damoder Pragjee; 7 cases plate glass, Abdoolally Essoofally.

From London.

Ancona s—3 cases printed books, Atmaram Sagoon and Co; 30 boxes bar silver (Rs 70,000), The C M Bank of I L S and China.
Hydaspes—13 cases claret, Edeljee Wookerjee Son.
Surat—1 hogshed cognac, Cutler Palmer and Co.
Agra s—15 cases gin, Jamsetjee Nowrojee.
Dewa Gungadhur, 50 pkgs bed, Manockjy Noorbhoy.
Mimita s—6 cases sherry and 1 case champagne, Macarinon and Co.

From Glasgow.

Olympia s—4 casks white zinc paint, Tyebally Mulla Feakhan; 2 cases chemical, Rogers and Co.

From Genoa.

Manilla s—25 cases brandy, Eduljee Bazonjee.

DAILY EXPORTS.—September 12.

For Marseilles.

Sumatra s—300 bales cotton and 11 bags coffee, P and O S Co.

For Genoa.

Sumatra s—200 bales cotton, P and O. S N Co.

For Port Said.

Sumatra s—446 packages day dates, P and O S N Co.

For Venice.

Vorwarts s—437 cwts cartor seed, Volkart Brothers.

For Alexandria.

Sumatra s—43 bales bark, P and O S N Co.

For Trieste.

Vorwaerts s—150 bales cotton, E Spinner and Co; 200 bales cotton, Volkart Brothers.
Sumatra s—200 bales cotton and 3 bales hides, P and O S N Co.

For Calcutta.

Mahratta s—150 bales cotton, Ramgopall Foolchund.

For Yokohama.

Ancona s—15 cases gum, and 6 lbs saffron, Hajee Abdoola Esmal and Co.

For Hongkong.

Ancona s—29 cwts sandalwood and 12 cwts ghaty medician, Sallayhboy Jafferbhoy; 12 cases white mule, S N Talatee; 6 bales twist, Tata and Co; 16 bales twist, Ebram Noordin and Co; 7 bales twist, E D Sassoon; 1 chest opium, Rehemoo hoy Habibbhoy; 75 chest opium, Tata and Co; 10 chests opium, E J Abraham; 95 bales cotton, Currimbhoy Ebram; 170 cwts cotton, Hajee Cassom Jessub, 1 bundle teeth, Aliana Munjee; 4 bales twist, Jamsetjee and Bomanjee; 100 chests opium, David Sassoon and Co; 8 chests opium, Pallonjee Pranjee.

For Shanghai.

Ancona s—, 25 bales grey shirting David Sassoon and Co; 5½ chests opium M S Gubboy and Co; 992½ chests opium; David Sassoon and Co; 6 chests opium, Semuthboy Nurh oboy; 33 chests opium B and A Hormusjee; 22 chests opium, E J Abraham.

HIGH COURT.—September 13.

(Before the Hon'ble the Chief Justice and the Hon'ble Sir Charles Sargent.)

(At 12 O'clock.)

Appeal for hearing and final disposal.

394—R V Hearn—G W Terry vs Burjorjee Dorabjee and another—Muljee and B—Part heard.

MILITARY INTELLIGENCE.

ARRIVALS.—September 10.

Lavie, Lieut Col, 3rd Madras L I, on leave, from Hoshangabad.
Gill, Lieut and Adjt, on leave, from Poona.

September 11.

Browne, Lieut Genl, on leave, from Mian Meer.
Irving, Dy Surg Genl, on leave, from Calcutta.
Hogg, Captain, Sind Horse, on leave, from Jacobabad.

September 12.

White, Surg Major, on leave, from Dibrugarh.

DEPARTURES.—September 12.

Franshaw, Lieut, R A, on duty, to Malta.
Trallop, Lieut, R H A, on leave, to England.
Ramadell, Captain, 3rd Sikh Infantry, on leave, to England.
Loch, Captain, R E, on leave, to England.
Yate, Captain, R A, on duty, to England.
Browne, Lieut Genl, on leave, to England.
Irving, Dy Surg Genl, on leave, to England.
Walker, Major, R A, on duty, to England.
White, Surg Major, on leave, to England.
Hogg, Captain, R A, to join, to Poona.

MADRAS GOVERNMENT ORDERS.

(*Fort St. George Gazette*, Sept. 9)

Mr Stokes, Acting Head Assistant Collector, Coimbatore, is temporarily appointed on the special duty of preparing the Annual Administration Report of the Madras Presidency for 1878-79.

Hughesdon, Acting District and Sessions Judge North Tanjore, has delivered over charge of the Court to the Sarishtadar.

Major Dawes, Acting Cantonment Magistrate, Cannanore, is appointed to be a Magistrate of the 1st Class.

The undermentioned Officer has been granted leave—T Chetty, District Munsif of Tumasamudram, in the District of Tinnevelly, for three months.

Mr Jones, Deputy Collector on general duty, to be Vice-President of the Local Fund Board of Saidapet Circle.

Mr Guy Power, Acting Head Assistant Collector, to be Vice-President of the Local Fund Board, Vriddhachalam Circle, and to continue in office for three years.

Dr Lancaster, Civil Surgeon, to be Vice-President for carrying out in the town of Kurnool, the purposes of the Towns' Improvement Act.

Rev O Dene, Acting Chaplain of St John's, Bangalore, to be Chaplain of Mercara.

Mr McC Webster, Collector of Coimbatore, furlough to Europe for nine months on urgent private affairs.

The following transfer is ordered:—Mr Bird, Assistant Engineer, 2nd Grade, from the Cuddalore Division to the Office of the Superintending Engineer, 3rd Circle, as Assistant to Superintending Engineer.

E Hickey, of the Arsenal, Madras, leave for sixty days.

The undermentioned Officer is permitted to retire from the service. Lieut Col (Brevet-Col) Fane, Staff Corps, on an ordinary pension of £365, with an Extra Annuity, of £417-1.

The promotion to Brevet-Major of Captain McGhee, Staff Corps, is cancelled.

Second Lieut Park, Madras Volunteer Guards, is granted leave of absence to proceed to Europe for three months.

His Grace the Governor in Council is pleased to remand Sub Conductor Mark Hurst, of the Commissariat Department, to regimental duty in the rank held by him immediately previous to his appointment to be Warrant Officer.

The following promotions are made, subject to Her Majesty's approval—To be Majors, having completed 20 years service:—Captains Motte, Blexland, and Bagshawe.
Captains Moore and James van Somseren.
Captains Walker and Gunthorpe.

THE BOMBAY VOLUNTEER RIFLE CORPS.

REGIMENTAL ORDERS

By Lieut. Col. Commandant W. B. Hewett.

Bombay, 12th September, 1879.

No 147 Sergt J R Morgan "C" Company is granted leave of absence for 15 days from this date to proceed to Poona and to take his rifle with him.

No 797 Vol W C Hurst, "D" Company is granted 3 months' leave of absence from this date to proceed to Panchgunny and to take his rifle with him.

By Order, W. M. TENNENT,
Captain and Actg. Adjutant, Bombay V. R. C.

CALENDAR FOR SEPTEMBER 1879.

PHASE OF THE MOON.

New Moon.....16th, 10h. 48'0 m. a.m.

Date.	Remarks.	Sun rises. A.M.	Sun sets. P.M.	High Water.	Low Water.
		H. M.	H. M.	H. M.	H. M.
Sat. 13	.....	5 49	6 3	9 32 m 9 34 s	2 51 m 3 44 s
Sun. 14	Holyrood Day—14 Sunday after Trinity.	5 49	6 3	10 10 m 10 0 s	3 43 m 4 21 s
Mon. 15	.....	5 49	6 2	10 40 m 10 59 s	4 25 m 4 43 s
Tues. 16	English Mail expected.	5 49	6 1	11 11 m 11 37 s	5 2 m 5 26 s
Wed. 17	1st Autumn Ember Day	5 49	6 0	11 42 m ...	5 39 m 5 58 s
Th. 18	.....	5 50	5 59	0 15 m 0 18 s	6 18 m 6 39 m
Fri. 19	2nd Autumn Ember Day.	5 50	5 58	0 59 m 0 58 s	6 59 m 7 13 s

DOMESTIC OCCURRENCES.

[The charge for notifying a domestic occurrence is two rupees. The announcement must be authenticated.]

BOMBAY.

BIRTHS.

MEHTA—September 11th, at Prospect Lodge, Cumballa Hill, the wife of Mr. Pheroozshah M. Mehta, of a son.
SOUNDY—September 12th, the wife of A. F. Soundy, of a daughter.
WILKINSON—September 10th, at Ahmedabad, the wife of W. J. Wilkinson, of a son.

OTHER PRESIDENCIES.

BIRTHS.

BULLOCK—September 7th, at Mussoorie, the wife of F. S. Bullock, C.S., of a daughter.
DeVINE—September 7th, at Simla, the wife of Mr. J. P. DeVine, of a son.
FORSYTH—September 8th, at Calcutta, the wife of W. E. H. Forsyth, Esq., of a daughter.
SHATTOCK—September 7th, at Khagoul, the wife of Mr. F. F. Shattock, of a daughter.
SCHUMACHER—September 8th, at Calcutta, the wife of G. F. Schumacher, of a son.

DEATHS.

GRAY—September 8th, at Calcutta, the infant son of J. Stewart Gray
LANGTON—August 31st, at Calcutta, John Henry Cyril, the infant son of Henry Powell and Marguerite Lucy Gore Langton, aged 2 months and 12 days.
MACKENZIE—September 8th, at Lucknow, Minnie Catherine, daughter of Surgeon G. P. Mackenzie, M. B., 4th N. I. aged 13 months.
PLUMMER—September 6th, at Jhelum, John Lindsay Plummer, late Commander Punjab Government Steamer "Chenab," aged 49 years.

All Money Orders, Cheques and other Remittances, sent to this office should be made payable to the "Proprietor of the *Bombay Gazette*."

The Bombay Gazette

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 13, 1879.

We reproduce this morning a letter dated 1st September, which our enterprising Lahore contemporary has received from its Kabul correspondent. The same writer alleged on a previous occasion that a coolness had sprung up between Yakub Khan and the Envoy—a statement which, as Reuter informed us in a telegram published yesterday, has just been contradicted by the publication in England of telegrams that had passed between Sir Louis Cavagnari and the Viceroy. In the letter now under notice, the Kabul correspondent asserts that at the time of writing, private interviews were no longer held between the Amir and the Envoy, that the audiences were brief, and that quarrels and disputes between the Amir's soldiers and the members of the escort occurred frequently in the bazaars. If these letters are genuine—and there is every reason to believe that they are—it becomes quite evident that whatever the nature of the telegrams which Sir Louis Cavagnari despatched to Simla may have been, however cordial the relations between him and the Amir may have continued to be even up to the last, still a feeling of hostility to the British Envoy was clearly spreading all the time throughout the city. Says the Kabulee correspondent:—"The "Indian troops are in a precarious position "here." If these words were really written in Kabul on the first of September, then we say there can be no doubt that the mutiny and murder of our countrymen were not the result of sudden outbreak, but were the outcome of a plot considered and planned beforehand—a plot, the existence of which was known to the whole vile population of the Afghan capital. Evidently, too, the writer of the news in question intended it to be understood that the Amir Yakub Khan himself was cognisant of what was going on; that is, the clear drift of his remarks. It is to be hoped, therefore, that the whole matter will be thoroughly sifted to the bottom. The Press Commissioner tells us that the Amir's "attitude and position are necessarily still un-"certain." At first we were inclined to believe that Shere Ali's successor was not implicated in the foul crime which has been perpetrated; but we confess that matters now begin to wear an aspect of suspicion, so that we agree with the Press Commissioner in thinking that there is an element of great uncertainty in the whole affair. Yesterday we reproduced a letter which had been addressed to the *Pioneer* by a member of the Envoy's party, and which was dated only one day previous to the epistle published by the *Civil and Military Gazette*. From that letter it will have been noticed that the Envoy and his suite were all unconscious of the mine which was soon to explode and overwhelm them in destruction. But the *Pioneer* correspondent's account of the relations existing between the Envoy and the Amir, although written at the same time, is at variance with that sent by the native writer to the Lahore journal. According to the former Sir L. Cavagnari and Yakub Khan were on cordial terms, and we read of tent-pegging and sports on the *maidan*, at which the Afghan troopers were admiring spectators. Yet there can be no doubt that ominous rumours were clearly all the time floating about the city, and whether a coolness had sprung up or not between the Residency and the Palace, the people of Kabul evidently thought, or at least wished, that such was the case while all knew that the position of the visitors from India was one of danger. The whole affair is wrapped up in great mystery, and Yakub Khan must answer one or two questions before he can again obtain the confidence of his suzerain, the Empress of India. For what reason were troops brought at all from Herat? The war was over, and why were reinforcements required at Kabul? Badakshan was the great centre of disturbance in the Afghan kingdom, and why were not the six Heratee regiments sent there direct? Then, again, why were the mutinous regiments admitted within the Bala Hissar, and why did not the Amir acquaint the Envoy as to what was clearly brewing in the city? We do not say that Yakub Khan is implicated in this thing, nor do we as yet think so; but there are clear grounds for suspicion, and that being so, there are clear grounds for increased caution and care that our little invading army shall not rush too hastily into some trap prepared beforehand.

Great efforts are evidently being made on the frontier to prepare for the rapid advance of the troops, but we are not sanguine that the anticipations of the correspondents regarding an immediate forward movement will be borne out. The difficulties in the way are too formidable, and before the troops can move from the Shuturgurdan, which has now been occupied, the reliefs to take their place must be ready. That will take some little time. Still, doubtless, the energy with which everybody seems to be working will have its results, and in a very few days—now that the General is on the spot—we ought to hear that our cavalry is scouring the country between the Kotal and Kabul. So far there is no indication that the hill tribes have taken any part in the movement. No certain information to that effect has reached Government; and, indeed, we must remember that the Kabulees are a different race to the Pathan proper, who has little sympathy or liking for the dwellers in that city. Our Government declared on the last occasion that it went to war only with Shere Ali Khan. We must now announce that our quarrel lies alone with the people of Kabul and the mutinous troops, who must be dispersed, pursued, and shot down without mercy for the murderers that they are. Evidently the tribes are banging back. Our prestige is still great, and the slaughter of half a hundred sowars is not considered as a mighty defeat. Intelligence is probably spreading everywhere of the retribution which we are preparing, and it is still quite possible, indeed likely, that the revolt and rebellion will be limited only to the miscreants with whom it originated. The position no doubt has its dangers, but there is great reason to hope that the task before us will be the comparatively easy one of dispersing the mutineers, punishing the city of Kabul by heavy fire, with the re-establishment of order—whether under the rule of Yakub Khan or some one else remains to be seen.

The Press Commissioner communicates to us the important intelligence that Government has at last decided to commence the railway which Sir Richard Temple recommended some months ago should be constructed between Sukkur on the Indus and Dadur in Baluchistan. This line, beyond all question, is required in the interests of commerce as well as a matter of military necessity. When completed, it will place Western Afghanistan and the command of a line of country that flanks all the approaches to India, within a couple of days' reach. Its construction has been advocated not only by the Governor of Bombay, but by the best military authorities in England and in India, and we congratulate the Government upon the decision it has come to to proceed with the laying down of the rails forthwith. The distance by railway between Sukkur and Dadur will be about 150 miles. From Dadur we learn a light tramway is to be run up the Bolan Pass—probably to Quetta—about eighty miles further, and from Quetta or Pishin the whole of Afghanistan lies completely at our mercy: for to Herat on one side, or to Kabul on the other, there are no obstacles to speak of to be overcome. The order to proceed forthwith with the construction of this railway would apparently betoken an intention of instituting important military operations upon the Western side of Afghanistan—probably an immediate advance of the Kandahar division upon Herat. Independent of the movement of Russian troops along the northern Persian frontier, it is very probable that the mutinous troops at Kabul will, upon the approach of our army, retreat across the Bamian or move round towards Herat by the other routes available. In that case an advance from Kandahar of General Stewart's forces would at once be rendered necessary. At all events the order to construct the line now referred to is a step in the right direction.

After Mr. Walton, the Executive Engineer of the Municipality, had decided that Tulsi water should be supplied to Bombay from a service reservoir placed on Malabar Hill, it became manifest to everybody that a similar reservoir for the Vehar water would improve the distribution of that water also very considerably. At page 104 of his invaluable report on the Bombay water supply Major Tulloch says:—"It is sur-"prising to me to find that the necessity of "bringing the water as near as possible to Bom-"bay before distributing it under pressure should "never before this have been pointed out to the "Bench of Justices, and that I should have to "bring it to their notice." Accordingly Mr. Braham, the Deputy Executive Engineer of the Municipality, proposed a scheme for improving the distribution of the Vehar water. This scheme consisted of a reservoir, to contain five million gallons, or five-eighths of one day's supply, and to be placed at a level of 157 on Town Hall datum; filter beds were to be placed on the reservoir, distribution pipes of increased size were to be provided, and the cost of the whole scheme was estimated at Rs. 9,72,578. This scheme was reviewed by Mr. Forde, Consulting Engineer of the Municipality, and he concluded by saying that he could not recommend its adoption. The four main features of Mr. Braham's scheme were—(1) the site of the reservoir, (2) the sizeof the reservoir, (3) the filters, and (4) the cost of the work. Objection of the most serious kind was taken to all these. Referring to them in order, we find that the site of the reservoir was reported as being "too low to serve the top stories of a large "number of houses even in the low level streets." The size of the reservoir is thus spoken of:—"It "is designed to hold five million gallons, or, at "the most, five-eighths of one day's consumption. "This small reservoir is again divided into "three compartments with sets of pipes and "inlet and outlet valves for each. These ar-"rangements involve a great increase of expense, "and notwithstanding the unfavourable nature "of the ground I consider the estimate for this "small reservoir is excessive. Taking this into "consideration, and more especially the exces-"sively small size of the reservoir, I would not "recommend the adoption of the design now "submitted." As regards the proposed filter it is said:—"A service reservoir should not hold less "than one and a half day's supply, and I am of "opinion that one could be designed for Bhundar-"wada Hill of that size with 15,000 square "yards of filter beds, without materially increas-"ing Mr. Braham's estimate. This might be "effected by placing the filter alongside the "reservoir instead of over it, saving the cost of "iron girders, amounting to about Rs. 1,65,000." Writing about the cost of the reservoir the Consulting Engineer pronounced it to be "ex-"cessive;" the wrong position of the filter was, as we have just shown, pointed out as involving a very large unnecessary cost.

After the publication of the unfavourable report of the Consulting Engineer, Mr. Braham submitted two remonstrances or counter-reports in favour of his own scheme. To these Mr. Forde replied very briefly, abating nothing of his objections to the scheme submitted by Mr. Braham. Meanwhile, Mr. Walton, the only really responsible Executive Engineer of the Municipality, was called upon by the Corporation to submit a "report on Mr. Braham's Bhundar-"wada service reservoir project and other propo-"sals for improving the Vehar water supply." This report was duly furnished. One of its main features was the advisability of adopting measures for the prevention of waste. In the summary of Mr. Walton's recommendations we find him offering two alternative proposals, the most important of which is thus stated:—"If "funds are available I recommend Mr. Braham's "scheme, improved by the service reservoir, "being raised to a level of 190 Town Hall "datum, with the addition of an 18-inch main "in conjunction with the existing 32-inch main." The two *improvements* here recommended are certainly far enough removed from what was at first proposed. The raising of the reservoir to a level of 190 Town Hall datum, coupled with another recommendation of Mr. Walton to enlarge the reservoir, as suggested by Mr. Forde, would render the project quite a new one. The additional 18-inch main which Mr. Walton suggested was intended to bring into the town all the water which Vehar was capable of supplying. It is only to the 18-inch additional main to which Mr. Walton's remark "if funds are "available" has any reference. Mr. Forde had previously contended that the service reservoir should be placed on a higher level than 157 Town Hall datum, and also that the reservoir should certainly "not hold less than 1½ day's "supply." Mr. Walton made no suggestion regarding the position of the filter beds. This, we regard, as a deficiency in his report. Apart from this matter of the site of the filter beds and the additional main, it is clear enough from the reports that Mr. Forde and Mr. Walton are agreed in the main features of the scheme that should be adopted for improving the Vehar

ST INTELLIGENCE.

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENTS.)

THE KABUL MASSACRE.

THE FEELING ON THE FRONTIER.

NEWS FROM KABUL.

DERA GHAZI KHAN, SEPT. 12.

Kabul messengers to the kafillas passing this place report that Nawab Sir Gholam Hussain has been killed.

Great uneasiness prevails along the frontier.

Kabul traders assert that the Russians are hated more than the English, and that they had nothing whatever to do with the mutiny.

General Massy will soon be marching on Kabul.

The Kabulese here receive news daily from their correspondents in that city. Yakub Khan, they say, has shut himself up in his palace, and it is unknown what he will do.

THE ADVANCE OF OUR TROOPS.

THE SHUTURGURDAN OCCUPIED.

LAHORE, SEPT. 12.

A special telegram to the *Civil and Military Gazette* says it is rumoured that the Afghan troops have advanced from Kabul.

The summit of the Shuturgurdan was occupied yesterday by the 1st Brigade, consisting of a Mountain Battery, 22nd Pioneers, and 5th Goorkhas.

Captain Conolly has arranged with the Ghilzais for a large supply of carriages. Local carriages are coming fairly forward, and troops of all arms are rapidly moving to the front.

General Roberts arrived at Ali Kheyl yesterday.

The advance upon Kabul will probably be speedily effected.

MOVEMENT OF TROOPS.

LAHORE, SEPT. 12.

The following are the movements of troops and civil and military appointments:—D-A C-3 and Artillery to Khyber; I-C to Kurrum; Carbineers 3rd, 18th Bengal Cavalry, 9th and 51st Foot to Khyber.

The following troops are warned for active service:—2 9th and I-A Artillery, now at Nowshera; 1st and 27th Native Infantry; 3rd and 17th Cavalry; 13-9 Artillery, now at Peshawur; and 51st, now at Cherat.

General Arbuthnot commands the advance Khyber Brigade; Major Boyes, Assistant Adjutant General; Captain Dutton, Quarter-Master-General; Colonel Evans commands Artillery; Colonel Linond, Chief Engineer; and Dr. Hassard, Principal Medical Officer.

[PUBLIC PRESS MESSAGE.]

LATEST FROM THE PRESS COMMISSIONER.

SIMLA, SEPT. 12.

A confidential servant of the Amir has been deputed by him to wait upon Captain Conolly to ask advice, and is detained at Ali Kheyl, pending General Roberts's arrival.

The news of the state of Kabul and of the movements of the revolted regiments is conflicting.

Rumours such as are likely to arise on such an occasion are afloat of the stirring of the tribes by the mutineers, but there is no positive intelligence on this point.

The Amir's attitude and position are necessarily still uncertain.

Imam Bux, attached to the Residency office, and who was present with the Envoy throughout the fight, hid in a drain and escaped at night

Nothing has yet been heard of the sowars who were absent on forage, nor of Nawab Sir Gholam Hussain Khan's having arrived at Kabul.

It is reported from Kandahar that the frontier is generally quiet.

Kandahar is tranquil and apparently well disposed.

THE COMMUNICATIONS OF THE KANDAHAR COLUMN.

IMMEDIATE CONSTRUCTION OF A RAILWAY TO THE BOLAN PASS SANCTIONED.

SIMLA, SEPT. 11.

The Government have sanctioned a railway on the broad gauge from Sukkur to Dadur.

The line is expected to be completed at the rate of a mile per day.

Beyond Dadur it is probable that a mountain tramway will be laid to the Bolan Pass.

THE VICEREGAL LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

SIMLA, SEPT. 11.

In to-day's Viceregal Legislative Council the Bangoon Port Commissioners Bill was passed into law.

Mr. Hope presented the final report of the Select Committee on the Bill to restrict the transport of salt by sea.

Mr. Stokes presented the preliminary report of the Select Committee on the Bill to provide for the holding of property by certain religious congregations.

The Council was adjourned for a fortnight.

[REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.]

(*By Red Sea Cable.*)

MR. GRANT DUFF ON THE AFGHAN POLICY.

LONDON, SEPT. 12.

In a speech made by Mr. Grant Duff at Elgin yesterday, he strongly censured the Afghan policy of the Government, and held that Lord Salisbury was chiefly responsible for what had occurred.

STEAMER MOVEMENTS.

SUEZ, SEPT. 11.

The B. I. S. N. Company's steamer Chyebasso, homeward bound from Calcutta, Madras, and Colombo, left to-day.

LISBON, SEPT. 11.

The B. I. S. N. Company's steamer Assyria, outward bound for the Persian Gulf and Kurrachee, left yesterday.

LONDON, SEPT. 11.

The Liverpool Cotton Market closed dull. Surats fair demand.

The London Cotton Market has been quieter.

Fair Dholleras 5 5-16

The Manchester Market has been firm.

4 per cent. Rupee Paper 77½

4½ per cent. do. 83¾

3 per cents. Consols for account 97⅜

5 per cent. French Rentes, 1872 ..... 117½

Bar Silver 51⅜

Oriental Bank shares ..... £18.

Chartered Mercantile Bank share ..... £20.

The Bank of England Returns for the week ending yesterday show the following results:—

Reserve of Notes ..... £20,200,000 Inc. £700,000

Bill's Discounted ..... £17,300,000 Dec. £300,000

Bullion ..... £34,800,000 Inc. £100,000

The proportion of the Reserve to the Liabilities is 58½ per cent.

The sum of about £225,000 has been paid into the Bank of England.

Arrivals—Victoria and Dumfriesshire.

STEAMER REPORT.

MADRAS, SEPT. 12, 3 P. M

Singapore, 12th—Manilla mail on or about 16th.

THE WEATHER.

RAINFALL IN BOMBAY.

Sept.	Colaba. In. cnt.	Colaba. In. cnt.	Fort. In. cnt.	Fort. In. cnt.	Byculla. In. cnt.	Byculla. In. cnt.
Total previously registered...	56	18	64	57	67	66
11 Thursday	0	1	.....	.....	.....	.....
12 Friday	.....	0	30	0	0	8
Total.....	56	19	64	57	67	74
Fall up to 12th Sep. 1878.....	92	87	101	41	99	45
Do. to 12th Sep. 1877.....	59	35	49	0	57	83

NOTE.—The returns from the Fort and Byculla are made up to 8 p.m. each day. The return from Colaba is up to midnight.

WEATHER REPORT BY TELEGRAPH.—SEPT. 12.

CANNANORE, 4-20 p. m.—Weather clear; wind S. Fall of rain 52 cents.

KARWAR, 5 p.m.—Weather cloudy and showery; wind W. 4; thermometer 80; barometer 29·950. Fall of rain 95 cents.

MANGALORE (Sept. 11)—Weather rainy; wind N. E., N. W. Fell of rain 1 inch and 1 cent.

TUTICORIN, 3 p. m.—Weather fine; wind S W.; thermometer 90; barometer 29·92.

VINGORLA, 5 p. m.—Weather cloudy; wind N. W. and W. light; thermometer 79. Fall of rain 40 cents.

BOMBAY PRESIDENCY WEATHER REPORT

FOR THE WEEK ENDING SEPT. 11.

Kurrachee.—Rain Mirpur Batoro 50, Keti 51, and Sehwan 5 cents. River at Kotri on 7th 19 feet 5½ inches, last year 19 feet 1½ inch.

Hyderabad.—River fallen one foot. Rain in Mohabatdero 70.

Ahmedabad.—Rain 4·73, total 31·63. Crops excellent.

Baroda.—Rain 6·62, total 49·35; break since Sunday Prospects good.

Surat.—Rain 1·73, total 33·28; good break since Sunday. Crops healthy.

Nasik.—Bright weather. Slight occasional showers. Crops good everywhere.

Colaba (Bombay).—Rain ·28, total 56·07, being 5·74 below average. Weather fine. Temperature and wind normal.

Poona.—(Week ending 7th inst.) Rainfall under 67 cents, wanted at Sirur and Bhimtadi. Shalu sowing commenced in Indapur and Haveli.

Ahmednagar.—Rain at Newasa ·95, Sheagaon ·86, in others very little or none. Kharif crops good; rabi sowing commenced in four talukas.

Kanara.—Rain Karwar ·96, total 113·47: maximum Honore 11·10. Rice crop coming into ear on coast.

Rajpot.—Rain ·73, total 26·06. Crops very good. Health generally good.

Shikarpur.—River on 9th 11 feet 7 inches, 2 feet less than on same date last year. In some talukas deficiency of water for later kharif sowings.

Upper Sind Frontier.—Weather sultry, nights rather cold. Prospects fair, crops healthy and promising, early jowari coming into ear.

Kaira.—Rain 2·75, total 25·33; slight break. Crops excellent.

Broach.—Weather clear. Rain 8·58, total 37·20. Cotton and bajri slightly damaged in some places owing to heavy rain.

Khandesh.—Crops slightly injured in most talukas by excessive rain. Weather clearing up.

Thana.—Rain 1·08, total 96·39. Crops good.

Kolaba.—(Week ending 8th instant.) Rain at Alibag ·55, total 68·61. Crops very good.

Ratnagiri.—(Week ending 2nd instant.) Rain 7·43, total 88·78; fall plentiful. Early nachni and wari crops being reaped, rice crops in ears.

Sholapur.—Situation improved by break. Crops generally reported good. Rabi sowing commenced.

Satara.—Rain ·29, total 33·28; slight fall in talukas. Crops good.

Kaladgi.—Rain general in northern talukas, maximum 4·02 at Bijapur, minimum ·85 at Bagewadi, varied in southern talukas. Crops good.

Belgaon.—Prospects good. Rain wanted in Gokak and Athni. Jowari crops in Belgaon and Sampgaon recovering in consequence of break.

Dharwar.—Rain average ·43. Rice and early jowari good, cotton sowing progressing.

Wadhwan.—Rain ·41, total 14·81. Prospects good.

RAINFALL ON THE GUJARAT LINE.

WE have been favoured with the following records of rainfall on the districts intersected by the B. B. and C. I. Railway, by Mr. Mathew:—

BARODA.	In. Cts.	SABURMATTI.	In. Cts.
Previously reported ...	39 3	Previously reported ...	34 54
September 5	0 0	September 6	0 5
,, 7	0 0	,, 7	0 0
,, 8	0 0	,, 8	0 0
,, 9	0 0	,, 9	0 0
Total	39 3	Total	34 59
VEERAMGAM.	In. Cts.	WUDWAN.	In. Cts.
Previously reported ..	29 3	Previously reported ..	15 82
September 6	0 0	September 6	0 0
,, 7	0 0	,, 7	0 0
,, 8	0 0	,, 8	0 0
,, 9	0 7	,, 9	0 0
Total	29 10	Total	15 82
KHAROGHORA.	In. Cts.		
Previously reported	16 90		
September 6	0 0		
,, 7	0 0		
,, 8	0 0		
,, 9	0 0		
Total	16 90		

WE hear that Government have passed a resolution to the effect that the expenditure of the High Court, Bombay, should be reduced by Rs. 10,000 a month. The resolution has been communicated to Sir Michael Westropp, the Chief Justice.

RUMOUR has it that Mr. Maddan Shricrishna, Judge of the Small Causes Court at Poona, has been appointed Joint Judge at Nasik in the place of Mr. Gopalrao Hurry Deshmookh, retired.

WE are glad to learn that Mr. Grant, Municipal Commissioner, has given the use of the Victoria Gardens bandstand to the Volunteer Band, and that the Committee have kindly consented to allow the Band to play there on Monday evenings. We have no doubt the inhabitants at that neighbourhood will duly appreciate this kind consideration on the part of Mr. Grant, and the Band Committee and we ourselves are pleased to see a long felt want so opportunely supplied. We believe the Band will play in the Gardens on Monday next, the 15th instant, and if so we will doubtless be able to publish their programme in our issue of the morning at that date.

THOSE men of the 3rd and 13th Hussars, 1-15th Foot, the 1-14th, the 39th and 73rd, under orders to return to England, who are desirous of extending their services in India, are to be permitted to volunteer to other regiments provided they enlisted under Acts other than that of 1870, and have not re-engaged under that Act. The cavalry are allowed to volunteer to the 6th Dragoon Guards, 8th Hussars, 9th Lancers, 12th Lancers, 13th and 14th Hussars. The infantry have the choice of eighteen regiments. They must volunteer for the brigade to which the regiment they select belongs; but they will be posted for duty to the battalion in India which they wish to join. His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in Bombay has been requested to issue the necessary orders for the volunteering of the 3rd Hussars, stationed at Mhow, and the 1-14th, who are at Aden. The 1-6th Foot, under orders for Aden, will volunteer to such an extent as will not reduce the strength of the regiment below 515 men, exclusive of invalids, and time-ex pired men.

THE 31st Native Infantry are ordered from Amritsar and Jullunder to the Kurrum Valley. A company of the 30th Native Infantry from Ferozepore will relieve the companies at Amritsar.

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WE see from the Lahore journal that the 85th Foot at Multan have been ordered to be in readiness to move forward on receipt of order, and to arrange carriage from Jhelum to Peshawur. All officers of the regiment on leave have been recalled.

WITH regard to the Simla Army Commission, the *Pioneer* announces that though four of its members—Generals Roberts and MacPherson and Colonels MacGregor and Baker—have gone to the front, the remaining members will continue the work, which is already far advanced. The opinions of the departing members are known about all the important points, and representatives of each Presidency still remain at Simla.

A MEDAL is, it is stated, to be issued to the officers and men who took part in the Perak campaign.

THE resumption of military operations in Afghanistan renders the settlement of a friendly understanding with the Chiefs of the passes a matter of the very first importance. The now assured co-operation of a powerful leader like Padshah Khan is worth at least a couple of thousand bayonets. The *Civil and Military Gazette* states that the Khan has arrived at Peshawur with a following of some twelve hundred men belonging to the Kamber Kheyl, the Mulkdin Kheyl, Zakka Kheyl and others; has had a most satisfactory interview with the Commissioner, and promises faithfully to maintain order in the passes.

THE *Englishman* finds fault with the Press Commissioner for the paucity of the information which he vouchsafed to the public in connection with the Kabul massacre. Our contemporary wrote on the 10th inst:—"It is evident that the utmost reticence is being observed by the authorities, not only regarding the fate of the Mission, but about the position at Kabul generally. The information furnished by the Press Commissioner during the past three days, i. e., since his first telegram, which left everything in doubt, has, in fact, been so meagre that it would seem that the office is practically in abeyance. Though we have twice addressed him to ascertain how far the prevailing reports are true, we have received no reply."

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Accepting Sir Richard Temple's estimate that twelve crores are sufficient for the ordinary purposes of the State, a Calcutta paper points out that the Government has, if need be, a margin of close upon five crores to work with.

WITH regard to tea prospects Messrs. Moran and Co. report:—"From Assam and Cachar we are glad to have received better accounts of the weather, in the former district less rain having fallen, and blight having to a large extent disappeared in Cachar. From Darjeeling also better news has been received."

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THE following items come from Burma:—Cholera has disappeared from Thyetmyo. The Burmese have sent down twelve 12 pounder guns from Mandalay for the defences at Menhla. Some six hundred men have also been sent to Menhla by King Theebaw.

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THE UMBALLA ST. LEGER SWEEP.—The total number of tickets taken for the Great English St. Leger subscription started at Umballa were 12,601 which at Rs. 10 each, amounted to Rs. 1,26,010. The first prize of Rs. 61,566 has been won by Rayon d'Or, who was drawn by "Kayser," of Calcutta; the second prize, Rs. 30,783, fell to the lot of "A. M. L., of Monimein, who drew "Ruperna"; and the third prize, Rs 15,391, won by the drawer of "Exeter," whose assumed name is "Contributon," and who is a resident of Simla. The sum of Rs. 2,268 is to be divided among starters, and Rs. 3,402 distributed among drawers of horses. Rs. 6,300 go to the Umballa Race Fund and an equal amount is set apart for all expenses attendant on the getting up of the sweep.

RESUSCITATION.—It appears that a Hindu girl, about two years of age, after being sick for four or five days at the village of Dotoor, died there and was taken to the burial ground, but before she was placed in the grave she commenced moving, when she was taken back home by her parents. We hear she is doing well now.—*Poona Observer.*

CRICKET AT POONA.—There will be two important matches next week. A match will be played on Monday and Wednesday between Poona and Visitors. This will occupy the days which had been allotted to the "North and South," a match which unfortunately will not be played this year, the North being unable to find an eleven to represent it. On Friday and Saturday, the 19th and 20th, there will be a match between the Poona and Bombay Parsee Cricket Club.—*Deccan Herald.*

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KABUL BEFORE THE OUTBREAK.

THE following letter from Kabul is published in the *Civil and Military Gazette*:—

KABUL, September 1.

Private interviews are no longer held between the Amir Yakoob and the British Envoy. Frequent consultations are held between His Highness, Mustaph-Habeebollah Khan, and Sirdar Yaya Khan. Moreover, the Darbars in which His Highness gives audience to the Envoy are brief,—the Amir usually converses with him for about ten minutes, after which he retires.

Quarrels and disputes between the Indian troops and the Amir's soldiers occur frequently in the bazaars, and this in spite of the punishment which His Highness has inflicted on the offenders, and the precautions which have been adopted at the Embassy. The Indian troops are in a precarious position here.

After the end of the late war the Amir seized certain prominent Afghans and threw them into prison, on suspicion of their having been in secret communication with the English. Shibzada of Charikar, General Abdul Karim Khan, Ahmaddoowlat Khan, Mullah Sheik Alee Hazari, two relations of Herat, and others whose names I shall give you in my next letter, were among the victims. The prisoners were taken three at a time into a plain in the Bala Hissar, murdered, and thrown into a well. They were, I believe, put to death in such a way as to cause an impression that they had escaped. Most of these men might, indeed, have been guilty of disloyalty: but the Nawab Ahmaddoowlat Khan has been falsely accused. Sirdar Wali Mahomed Khan is greatly alarmed at these proceedings. He thinks he may be treated in the same way. But meanwhile the Amir pays him his monthly allowance of Rs. 4,000 from the treasury.

I was aware that the English troop at Kandahar had received orders to march back to India on the 8th of this month: but about two days ago I was told that the Kandahar force would likely be sent to Herat at once. I hope in my next to be able to state the reason for this change of destination. Good reports continue to reach Kabul, regarding Shere Ali Khan's administration of Kandahar.

Mulk Abdoollah Nur Khan of Kheyl, one of the Khyber headmen, has been presented with a dress of honor by the Amir, and also with a sum of Rs. 500. The Khan, I believe, did not appear at the British Camp during the recent campaign. He has now left Kabul for his own tribe and country.

I have seen at Kabul a considerable number of camels which had been robbed by the Shinwarries from the British forces. The animals may be recognised by their distinctive marks. The Indian Government might possibly recover them on application

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DIPLOMATIC officers in uncivilised countries have continually gone, without any one being much concerned, into circumstances of greater risk than those which fairly attended the position taken up by Sir Louis Cavagnari. The element of danger left out of consideration was the folly which, in language can adequately condemn, which allowed the mutinous Herat regiments to come inside the place of strength. The truth appears to be that Yakub Khan has been mismanaging his affairs in a way which can only be accounted for by the intellectually weakening effect of his long imprisonment. Why did he suffer these wretched Herat regiments to come to Kabul at all? There seems but too much reason to assume that he was misled into giving the order by persons who desired to provoke an outbreak. It will be the business of the political officers with the force, that will soon lay on the Kabul population a firmer hand than they have felt for many a long year, to unravel this mystery.

(*Indian Daily News.*)

GOVERNMENT has much to retrieve as well as much to punish. It has to restore its prestige as well as reconstruct a policy, and to prove that determination on its part is more than a match for Afghan fanaticism, or Afghan treachery put in motion by intrigue. It is fortunate that there is in the English character a strain of obstinacy, which will not permit the Government to retire. But, although the body of the nation must and will support the Government in the new struggle to which it is thus challenged, the public in India must be prepared to find that there are men who will see only one side of the question, and that is the dangerous one of retrogression. Practically, there can be no disguise in this matter. England must either master Afghanistan or be prepared to see the Afghans reinforcing an army of Russians. The only true way of regarding this question is to look at it practically, and to place ourselves in the position of the Russians on the Oxus. If England wins Afghanistan, she can turn the energies and high-toned martial courage and fanaticism of its people on Central Asia as a field which invites their efforts. But if England withdraw from Afghanistan she must expect the Afridis, who are now simply cutthroats, who are bound to be assimilated to the tribes within the borders, to form the fierce and implacable violettes of the Czar. The mission of General Stoliteff, the attempt in the columns last year down to the Afghan frontier, the attack now directed on Merv, all prove to the practical man that the question admits of little discussion. It has reached the stage at which action alone is possible, and in which selfish commonsense ought to guide all the doings of the Government. That there will be an outcry about the increase of Anglo-Indian expenditure, which, we are afraid, must be expected, is what we are to do is to keep our judgment calm, and to face the difficulty as those men ought to do, who are the most deeply interested in its development.

(*Civil and Military Gazette.*)

IT seems beyond doubt that Yakub Khan was wholly taken by surprise in the fatal outbreak of the 3rd instant, and that he himself was completely at the mercy of the savage rebels as were Sir Louis Cavagnari and his fellow-countrymen and their escort, who have so nobly perished in the discharge of their duty, and whose story will excite the profoundest feeling of sorrow from one end of the empire to the other. Nevertheless, we cannot forget how frequent the premonitions were of the terrible catastrophe. It is supposed no sign of danger appeared before the arrival of the Herat troops on the 18th August. But our Kabul Correspondent tells us of a collision between members of the escort and some of the Amir's troops as early as the 13th. This happened at the Sir Bazaar, where the people fraternized with the troops. Even as early as that date the Amir had been warning the Envoy against venturing too far in his walks about the city. On the 18th, the very day of the arrival of the Heratees, their officers denounced the English alliance in presence of the Amir, offered to expel the Embassy, and made use of recriminatory language against His Highness himself. But the conduct of the Heratees—and to such an extent as to have made him appear less cordial to the Envoy than he had formerly been. But the efforts made by some of the Amir's most trusted officers to appease the rebels—and this, too, at the peril of their lives—would seem to indicate that irresolution and failure to recognise the dangers of the situation are the only charges of which Yakub Khan can fairly be accused.

(*Statesman.*)

WE are entering on a new invasion of Afghanistan, on a war which will probably assume large dimensions than its precursor. What are to be the objects of this new war? Is our course still to be based on the same principles; are we still to pursue the same objects as hitherto? Or are we to accept the conclusion that our late policy was a mistake from the beginning, that the Kabul mutiny is not an accident, but the beginning of inevitable collapse, and that our new war must consequently be directed to the attainment of objects altogether different from those which the Government has hitherto pursued? There is much to be said in answer ourselves in a position to dictate terms to whatever to those questions, but we shall state our conclusion at once. Our only wise course now is to throw overboard at once and completely the policy of the last three years, and to withdraw every British soldier from Afghanistan as soon as we can do so without dishonour. There will be very little difference of opinion as to the immediate course to take. Nothing is to be gained by delay. We must march with all prudent hasts to Kabul, and show that we can be masters there. We must again put semblance of authority may then be found in the country. This may be difficult, or it may be easy; no one can foresee what strength of resistance may be made to us. Whatever it may be, it must of course be overcome; then, if we are wise, we shall do what we did in 1842, and withdraw from the country.

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Mooltan to Lahore and Delhi.
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Lahore to Jhelum and back.
Hathras Road to Mattra and back.
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Agra to Dholpur and back.
Delhi to Bandikui and back.
Agra to Ajmere, Jeypore and Nasirabad, and back
Benares to Lucknow and Moradabad.
Moradabad to Lucknow and Benares.
Madras to Bangalore, Neilgherry and Beypore.
Beypore to Bangalore, Neilgherry and Madras.
Negapatam to Tuticorin and back.
Tanjore to Arakari Chatram and back.
Madras to Chiambaram and back.
Madras to Trichinopoly, Madura, Dindigal and back.
Arcoonum to Conjeveram and back.
Tinevelly to Tuticorin and back.
Calcutta to Canning and back.
Calcutta to Goalundo.
Goalundo to Calcutta.
Calcutta to Kooshtea and back.
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